

## Annual Average Unemployment Rates by County

County	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
Ada	3.4	3.0	3.2	3.1	3.3	3.7	4.6	4.5	3.9	3.2	2.4	2.3
Adams	14.4	14.6	14.9	14.2	9.9	10.9	11.7	11.8	11.5	7.8	6.2	4.9
Bannock	5.6	5.2	5.0	5.0	4.6	4.8	5.8	5.0	4.5	3.7	3.1	2.7
Bear Lake	5.1	4.5	4.6	4.4	4.7	4.5	5.0	5.4	4.6	3.9	2.6	2.2
Benewah	11.7	9.7	11.9	11.9	10.9	10.2	10.9	10.5	8.6	7.4	7.1	5.6
Bingham	5.4	4.7	5.0	4.8	4.3	4.6	4.5	4.6	4.2	3.6	3.4	2.4
Blaine	4.1	4.6	4.0	3.5	3.5	3.3	3.9	4.1	3.5	2.7	2.4	2.1
Boise	6.1	6.3	6.0	7.2	4.8	3.9	4.8	5.2	4.9	4.4	3.3	3.0
Bonner	9.5	8.4	8.3	9.0	7.6	7.7	7.9	7.4	5.8	4.9	4.3	3.4
Bonneville	4.2	3.7	3.6	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.7	3.5	3.3	2.9	2.4	2.0
Boundary	9.7	8.5	9.2	8.7	7.6	9.1	8.6	8.5	6.8	7.7	6.9	5.9
Butte	4.8	4.6	4.3	3.8	4.2	4.2	4.7	6.1	6.2	4.1	3.0	2.2
Camas	4.4	4.3	3.7	4.1	3.7	3.6	3.3	4.9	4.2	3.8	3.1	2.3
Canyon	5.4	5.2	5.0	4.5	4.4	5.0	6.0	6.1	5.4	4.3	3.5	3.3
Caribou	6.7	5.9	6.0	5.7	4.9	5.2	6.5	6.5	6.5	5.1	3.6	2.8
Cassia	6.4	6.7	7.2	6.4	4.8	4.7	5.2	6.0	5.7	4.4	3.7	3.0
Clark	3.6	4.4	3.9	3.2	5.1	5.1	5.8	5.5	6.9	4.8	3.5	2.1
Clearwater	12.1	11.8	13.0	12.8	13.0	14.3	13.2	11.4	9.8	9.0	7.6	6.6
Custer	6.3	7.3	8.6	7.6	5.4	6.0	6.4	6.2	5.6	4.8	3.8	2.9
Elmore	6.2	5.9	6.0	6.2	5.8	5.5	6.5	6.0	5.1	4.4	3.8	3.5
Franklin	4.5	4.0	3.6	3.3	3.2	3.7	4.4	4.1	3.8	3.1	2.2	1.8
Fremont	8.0	7.4	7.1	6.5	4.8	4.5	4.5	4.9	4.3	3.8	3.4	2.6
Gem	7.2	6.4	7.0	6.5	5.1	6.6	7.2	6.0	5.4	4.6	3.9	3.3
Gooding	4.3	4.0	3.9	3.4	3.7	3.8	3.8	4.0	3.8	2.9	2.6	2.0
Idaho	11.2	10.4	10.7	10.1	8.2	8.4	8.4	8.6	7.5	6.5	5.7	4.5
Jefferson	4.8	4.2	4.3	4.2	3.7	3.8	3.9	3.7	3.7	3.2	2.8	2.2
Jerome	4.4	4.5	4.6	4.3	4.2	4.0	4.2	4.6	4.3	3.6	3.0	2.5
Kootenai	8.0	8.0	7.9	7.5	6.2	6.8	7.0	6.4	5.5	4.3	3.5	2.9
Latah	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.1	4.2	4.2	4.5	4.4	3.7	3.4	2.7	2.4
Lemhi	8.3	9.1	8.6	7.6	7.8	7.3	7.4	7.4	6.7	5.8	4.8	4.0
Lewis	7.2	7.3	7.5	6.4	6.4	6.9	6.0	4.2	3.7	3.3	2.5	2.3
Lincoln	4.9	5.6	5.1	5.1	4.3	3.9	5.1	5.6	5.3	4.3	4.1	3.2
Madison	3.3	3.1	2.9	2.4	3.5	3.1	3.0	2.8	2.9	2.6	2.4	1.8
Minidoka	7.2	7.9	8.1	7.1	5.6	5.5	6.2	7.4	7.5	5.5	4.6	3.6
Nez Perce	3.6	3.4	3.8	3.7	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.1	4.6	4.2	3.2	2.7
Oneida	3.2	3.4	3.6	3.7	3.2	3.5	4.0	3.7	3.1	2.5	1.8	1.6
Owyhee	3.1	2.6	2.8	4.1	3.9	4.0	4.4	2.7	2.6	2.4	1.9	1.7
Payette	7.1	7.5	7.2	7.0	6.5	7.7	8.2	8.2	7.9	6.7	4.6	3.7
Power	6.3	6.0	5.7	6.8	5.7	5.6	6.2	7.3	5.9	4.5	4.4	3.5
Shoshone	10.2	9.9	11.2	11.0	9.5	12.0	12.0	12.0	9.4	7.5	6.5	4.9
Teton	4.8	4.5	3.7	3.3	2.9	2.5	3.3	3.4	3.0	2.8	1.8	1.5
Twin Falls	4.6	4.4	4.8	4.6	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.2	3.5	3.1	2.4
Valley	9.4	9.4	9.4	8.8	6.6	7.5	8.1	7.9	6.5	4.6	3.9	3.5
Washington	8.2	7.8	7.5	7.9	6.6	6.4	6.8	7.5	6.5	5.1	4.1	3.5
State of Idaho	5.3	5.1	5.1	4.9	4.6	4.9	5.4	5.3	4.7	3.9	3.2	2.7

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